



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

November 19, 2007

**VIA FAX (202-479-1115) and FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Joseph E. Sandler, Esq.  
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RE: MUR 5440  
Moving America Forward

Dear Mr. Sandler:

On April 7, 2004, the Federal Election Commission notified your client, Moving America Forward, of a complaint alleging violations of certain sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended ("the Act"). A copy of the complaint was forwarded to your client at that time.

Upon further review of the allegations contained in the complaint, and information supplied by your clients, the Commission, on November 7, 2007, voted to dismiss this matter. Prior to that, on September 14, 2004, the Commission failed in a vote of 3-2 to find reason to believe that Moving America Forward had violated certain provisions of the Act. A Statement of Reasons providing a basis for the Commission's decision will be forthcoming. The Commission closed the file in this matter on November 16, 2007.

Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. *See* Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003).

If you have any questions, please contact Peter Blumberg, the attorney assigned to this matter, at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mark D. Shonkwiler", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Mark D. Shonkwiler  
Assistant General Counsel

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